PUBLIC NOTICE

Architectural Design Services Contract Maricopa County Buckeye Hills Shooting Park Contract No. FMD-07-004

Maricopa County is soliciting Statement of Qualifications from qualified firms to provide architectural design services to the County for a Maricopa County Buckeye Hills Shooting Park. If your firm is interested in being considered for this project please request the Request for Qualifications (RFQ) instructions from Lynda Cull, Administrative Manager, Maricopa County Facilities Management Department, 401 W. Jefferson, Phoenix, Arizona 85003, or via email lynda.cull@fm.maricopa.gov.

Statements of Qualifications (SOQ) in the prescribed format must be addressed to H. M. Birch, Principal, Capital Facilities Development, Maricopa County Facilities Management Department and shall be received by Maricopa County at the foregoing address no later than **2:00 p.m.** (local time) on Thursday, August 31, **2006**.

The project includes two shooting ranges; a public range and a Sheriff's range. The scope of services will include review of programming documents and master plan, completion of design, preparation of construction documents, and construction administration for site development of 50 acres shooting ranges with support buildings of approximately 10,000 square feet, and utilities including a developing an existing well and a new water system. The project scope will include a self sustaining energy supply. The design phase will include review and updating the previously designed Maricopa County Parks Shooting Facility for which some design modifications will be necessary. Construction administration services will be for both ranges. The project will be located at Buckeye Hills Park, approximately 10 miles south of Buckeye, west of State Route 85. This solicitation is in anticipation of Board of Supervisor approval on August 16th. This project will be fast-tracked in every way possible. This solicitation may be cancelled at any time at the direction of the Board of Supervisors.

The selected architectural firm may be assigned to work as a team with the selected program manager to deliver this project. It is anticipated that the construction of this project will be delivered by a Construction Manager at Risk, to be selected during the design phase.

Maricopa County will endeavor to ensure that minority and women-owned business enterprises shall have opportunities to participate in providing professional services, purchased goods, and contractual services to the County, without being discriminated against on the grounds of race, religion, gender, age, national origin or disability. An M/WBE participation goal of 12% has been established for each awarded contract.

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